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OF A CONTAINER COMPRISING PLASTIC MATERIAL OR
FOR CLOSING THE OPENING

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The attention of the Examiner and of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on attached form PTO-1449. A copy of the European Search Report is enclosed. Copies of the references are forwarded herewith.

With the submission of this admitted prior art, applicant thus complies with the duty of disclosure as set forth at 37 CFR 1.56.

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